

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 1713  
PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08130.0076

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Guy Marck et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1713  
Application No.: 10/030,481 ) Examiner: T. Zalukaeva  
§ 371 Filing Date: January 9, 2002 ) Mail Stop AF

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office

Action of October 1, 2003. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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